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In re Application of:
Keishi OSAWA, et al.
Application No.: 10/073,395
Filed: February 12, 2002
For: DEVELOPING APPARATUS

Docket No. 00684.003328
Confirmation No.: 5381
Examiner: Sandra L. Brase
Group Art Unit: 2852
Date: July 21, 2003
(Monday)

Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Petition for Extension of Time and Amendment** in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

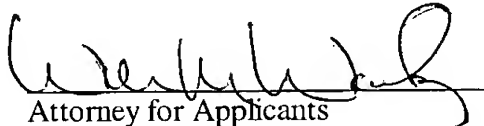
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 14 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | x \$9 \$18 | \$0.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 1 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | x \$42 \$84 | \$0.00 |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280 | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT--- | | | | | | \$0.00 |

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- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 to cover the fee for a one (1) month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our New York office at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

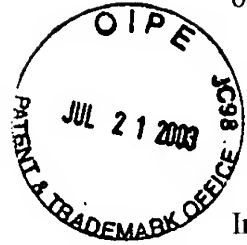

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO AMEND THE DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner approve the amendments to Figures 1 through 4, 8, 16, and 17, as shown in red ink in the attached sketches. The proposed drawing amendments consist of deleting reference numeral "9x" and its lead line in Figure 1; labeling Figures 2 through 4, 8, and 17 as --PRIOR ART--; and deleting reference characters "9k", "9x", and "9y" and their respective lead lines from Figure 16.

The foregoing amendments are presented in response to objections to the drawings set forth in an Official Action, dated March 19, 2003 in the above-identified application.

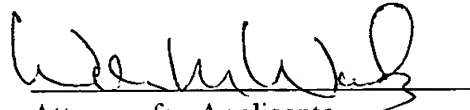
It is respectfully submitted that no new matter has been presented.

Approved LBS

Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010 All correspondence should continue to be directed to our New York office at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Wannisky', written over a horizontal line.

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